

BRITISH ABANDON CAMPAIGN AGAINST BAGDAD

LOSE HEAVILY BUT
RETIRE IN ORDER

Public Opinion in Greece is Now
in Favor of Accepting
Terms of Allies

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Dec. 4.—The Turks have routed the British in Mesopotamia and are advancing on Bagdad. General Townshend reported that he lost 4,567 men, but retired in good order to Kut-el-Amara. The Bagdad campaign has been abandoned. The British took and kept sixteen hundred prisoners.

The much rumored Russian invasion of Bulgaria has not materialized as yet. Three divisions of Bulgarians crossed Hungary enroute to the Italian front. This indicates that the Bulgarians are not fearing an invasion.

DELIGHTFUL SOCIAL
AT THE GYMNASIUM

JUNIORS AND SOPHOMORES ENTERTAIN THE SENIORS AND FRESHMEN

Another of those enjoyable high school social affairs was pulled off in the high school gymnasium last evening. This time the juniors and sophomores entertained the seniors and freshmen at a Yama-Yama party which was a hummer.

A delightful program was rendered, after which the evening was spent in good lively games and dancing. Refreshments were served in the shape of punch and cake, the boys of the entertaining classes supplying the punch and the girls supplying the cake. The boys demonstrated their ability in the punch making line, as they brought their ingredients to the cooking room and mixed the punch themselves. Caddy and Coulter, apparently, being chief punch makers. The girls have many times proved their ability in the cake making line.

The men teachers on the high school faculty were active participants and leaders in the various sports and the students appreciate the interest thus shown.

The pleasure was too keen to permit of separating for the respective homes until nearly midnight and all voted this the most enjoyable school function thus far this year.

BIG LOSS BY FIRE

The roundhouse and machine shops of the Nevada Short Line at Nenzel were burned to the ground recently by a fire which was started from a gasoline explosion. The line runs from the camp of Rochester to Nenzel and A. A. Codd is president of the road. The loss will be very large as there was nothing saved from the building and two locomotives were destroyed, together with two automobiles, as well as the machinery of the shops.

FUNERAL OF A CHILD

Angelina, the fifteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Knezovich, died yesterday afternoon of pneumonia. The child came here with her parents and six brothers six months ago from Michigan. The funeral was conducted at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence by Rev. Sebastian Dabovich and the interment was in the Serbian plot of the Tonopah cemetery.

WITHOUT A FRIEND

It was noticeable today that the snow declined to lie on the tarmac. Remarkable how unpopular that stuff is.

WILL RENAME FAIR

(By Associated Press.)
SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—It has been decided to rename the fair the Panama-California International Exposition.

BULLION SHIPPED BY
WEST END COMPANY

The West End Consolidated Mining company this morning shipped by Wells, Fargo 41 bars of bullion, the product of two weeks' run in the mill. The consignment weighed 67,461 ounces. Estimating the silver and gold contents at 70 cents an ounce, the shipment was mer- chantable for \$47,222.70.

KEANE WONDER MILL
WILL BE OPERATED

PLANT WILL TREAT FREE MILLING PRODUCT BROKEN IN STOPS

Milling operation are to be resumed at once on the property of the Keane Wonder Mining company, under the direction of F. N. Fletcher, the engineer in charge of the D. Mackenzie interests in Nevada, who passed through Goldfield this week on his way to the property at the border of Death Valley, says the Goldfield Tribune. The mine workings are said to contain large tonnage of low-grade, free-milling ore, already broken, which will be put through the mill. For some time past only the cyanide plant has been in operation, treating the accumulated tailings.

NATURE TO THE RESCUE

Yesterday the dust storm caused the great discomfort to the people of Tonopah, the clouds swirling in to homes and offices and business houses damaging personal property as well as creating general unpleasantness. Fortunately the weather man has come to the rescue with copious precipitation, but the application of the fire hose on the streets yesterday morning when the storm began would have saved a day of discomfort. He who controls the elements did some thing for the good people of Tonopah today that the county commissioners, who draw their salaries from the taxpayers have not done, only occasionally, and this through chagrin from the uncomplimentary phones sent in to them—spread a mantle of snow which has allayed the dust that caused so much misery and discomfort yesterday and that the One Above will take charge of our streets for the time being if only for charity's sake.

RAILWAY ARGUMENT FOR CENTRAL PACIFIC

(By Associated Press.)
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—Arguments in the government's suit to separate the Central Pacific from the Southern Pacific railway were resumed before three federal circuit court judges here today with the expectations that they would be finished before night. Peter F. Dunne, who began the closing argument for the railroads yesterday, continued it today. Edward F. McClellan prepared to follow him with a brief rebuttal for the government.

PUBLIC BUTCHER SHOPS OPENED IN MARSEILLES

(By Associated Press.)
MARSEILLES, Dec. 4.—The general council of the department of Bouches du Rhone, of which Marseilles is the capital, has decided to open 10 public butcher shops. Meat will be sold at approximately cost price in order to reduce prices generally.

NEWSPAPERS PLEASED

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Dec. 4.—The newspapers are gratified over the recall of Boyed and Von Papen. The Standard suggested that the next chapter of the story may concern Ambassador Bernstorff.

NEARLY 19,000,000

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The exhibition attendance will be close to nineteen million.

HEAVY SNOW AT MANHATTAN

There was eight inches of snow at Manhattan at noon today and the precipitation was continuing.

BOY TO BE OFFERED
REFUSE THRONE

YUAN SHI KAI WILL BE MADE THE EMPEROR OF CHINA

(By Associated Press.)
PEKING, Dec. 4.—Plans for the enthronement of Yuan Shi Kai are proceeding, despite the request of Russia, Japan and England for postponement. The new dynasty will probably be named Wu, or War. The boy Emperor Hsuan Tung, will become hereditary prince. It is reported that Yuan Shi Kai is unwilling to accept the throne and wants to return to the farm. Because of the belief that the boy emperor is "Heaven's son," Yuan Shi Kai must offer the throne to the boy, who will refuse and demand that Yuan accept.

SAN DIEGO FAIR TO
OPEN ANOTHER YEAR

A NUMBER OF EXHIBITS WILL BE TAKEN FROM THE PANAMA PACIFIC

(By Associated Press.)
SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—G. A. Davidson, president of the Panama California exposition, announced that the exposition will continue next year. It reopens January 1. Many exhibits are coming from the P. P. I. E. at San Francisco. Canadian and Italian reservations have already been secured. They may erect more buildings.

FOUR KILLED WHEN
STEAMER GOES DOWN

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Dec. 4.—The British steamers Middleton and Clan McLeod were submerged in the Mediterranean. Four of the Middleton's crew were killed and one wounded.

DEFENSE PROGRAM OF
PRESIDENT SUPPORTED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Investigation shows that Von Brincken was not connected with supplying German ships at sea. British agents have gathered some evidence. The Democratic house committee nominations assure the support of Wilson's defense program.

COAL MINE BEING
STEADILY WORKED

EXPECTATION THAT A SECOND MEASURE WILL SHORTLY BE ENCOUNTERED

Three shifts are now working in the inclined shaft of the Darms Coal Mining company at Coaldale and are making about seven feet a day. The shaft is now down about 490 feet. It has already passed through one measure of coal of excellent quality. A second and larger vein is expected to be encountered any time, according to the showing made in other workings of the property. The shaft is being sunk usually in bone, but is also encountering some clay and miners are having difficulty. Mr. Darms has placed a considerable amount of stock in Tonopah and is making collections on it. This is probably the last stock that will be placed, particularly if the expected measure is of the size and quality that is hoped for.

NOT SEEKING BELGIAN LOAN

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Alois van de Vyvere, Belgian minister of finance, who landed in New York today from the liner Adriatic from Liverpool, said he had come to the United States to look after purchases made here for the Belgian government. He denied reports from London that he might arrange for a loan to Belgium.

DON'S PLACE ROBBED

When Don Ritchie's saloon, which operates only at night, was opened this afternoon it was found that it had been entered some time since 5 o'clock this morning and robbed of a diamond ring and about \$20 in cash. The police have recovered the ring, which was pawned, and expect to get the burglar before evening, as they have secured a good description.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1915	1914
5 a. m.	32	31
9 a. m.	31	31
12 noon	31	33
2 p. m.	29	35
Relative humidity at 2 p. m.	98 per cent.	

CONSPIRATORS SENT
TO FEDERAL PRISON

HAMBURG-AMERICAN LINE ESCAPES WITH A FINE OF ONE DOLLAR

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Doctor Buenz, George Kotter and Joseph Poppinghaus, convicted of conspiracy, were today sentenced to eighteen months in the Atlanta penitentiary. Adolph Hachmeister was sentenced to one year. The Hamburg-American line was fined one dollar. The defendants were admitted to bail pending suing out a writ of error.

HEAVY VOTING IN THE
NEVADA FILM CONTEST

And still the flood of ballots continues, there being 258,750 for the remaining candidates, in addition to those deposited for those who have withdrawn, and more than three weeks remain in which to choose the young lady who will receive the prize at the hands of the Nevada Film Co., Inc., of Tonopah. Following was the standing of the contestants this morning:

Miss Isabel Davis, 157,950.
Miss Eleanor Malone, 110,800.

CLOSING EXERCISES
AT PANAMA FAIR

FINAL CEREMONIES OF THE BIG EXPOSITION AT SAN FRANCISCO

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The P. P. I. E. is closing. The president's toast was given at noon. At midnight buglers will play taps from the tower of jewels and President Moore will extinguish the lights. The flag will be hauled down and "Auld Lang Syne" be sung. Art Smith will write "Farewell" in the air while looping the loop in his biplane.

Despite the inclement weather, the attendance was the record breaker for the exposition. Throngs began passing through the turnstiles early in the morning and increased in number throughout the day. The hotels of San Francisco were taxed to their utmost last night by the incoming guests and all trains were laden this morning. The festivities tonight promise to exceed those of any New Year eve celebration ever held in the city and may last until morning. This is surely the one big day of the exposition.

WILL CONTINUE THE CUSTOM

In keeping with the custom of the late Dan Wheeler in furnishing turkeys to the Elks lodge of Reno, the sons of Mr. Wheeler have signified their keeping up the precedent, and the 18th of December will be a memorable occasion at the Elks' home, at which time an effort will be made to exceed all records in the raising of funds for charitable work.

SOME HARD LUCK

Dave Llewellyn heard yesterday that a friend was in distress with his machine somewhere out on the Ely road and he set out after him in his machine, but when some ten miles from town the steering knuckle on his own auto broke and he had to wait several hours until Bert Pollard came to his rescue also and brought him back to Tonopah in his truck.

MOTION TO STRIKE GRANTED

Motion to strike the memorandum of costs was granted this morning by Judge Averill in the case of the Rudolph Wuritzer company versus J. F. Kelly in the district court. This was the second motion to strike the cost bill in this case. The motion was granted because the bill was not filed in time.

WILL RESUME DRILLING

No work has been done for a week or more in the Umatilla on account of the illness of the driller, who had to go to the coast for medical treatment. He is expected back from San Francisco the first of the week, when operations will be resumed with the diamond drill.

PEACE PARTY GOES
AS FORD'S GUESTS

Edison and Bryan at the Dock to Wish the Adventurers All Possible Success

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Henry Ford, with over eighty peace advocates, and fifty-seven correspondents and photographers and twenty assistants, sailed at 3:15 today. Bryan and Edison were at the dock. The arrival of fifteen members of the party at the last minute delayed the departure. They had been invited, but hadn't indicated their intentions. Bryan said the mission had a chance to succeed. Before his departure Mr. Ford received a wire from King Haakon, of Norway, assuring him of a courteous reception. Mounted doves were hung in the main saloon. Mr. Ford carried a flag. Two delegates were married by a Chicago minister, also a delegate, aboard the docked ship.

WEDDING BELLS WILL
RING ON EIGHTEENTH

PRESIDENT WILSON AND MRS. GALT'S MARRIAGE TO BE A QUIET ONE

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—President Wilson and Mrs. Galt will be married on December 18 at her home here, according to an announcement by the president himself who wrote, that the guests will be her mother and family, Wilson's brother, sister and daughters and the household. There will be no invitations. It is expected that the honeymoon will be spent in the south. Rev. Sylvester Beach, Wilkeson's Princeton pastor, and Rev. Herbert Smith, her pastor, are expected to officiate. It is intimated to the diplomats that no display is desired, but probably many will send gifts.

OFFICERS ELECTED
BY TONOPAH EAGLES

INSTALLATION WILL TAKE PLACE ON EVENING OF JANUARY SEVENTH

Tonopah aerie, No. 271, Fraternal Order of Eagles, last evening completed nominations and elected officers as follows:

W. B. Evans, worthy president; A. F. Hooper, worthy vice-president; Thos. E. Prout, worthy chaplain; C. L. Richards, secretary; M. R. Glo-govaz, treasurer; William Frochok, inside guard; O. DeChene, outside guard; Joseph Rippingham, trustee; long term; Dr. J. R. Masterson, aerie physician; N. M. McCormick, past worthy president.

At the conclusion of this ceremony a pleasant social session was enjoyed. The officers will be installed on the evening of January 7.

THIRD GERMAN LOAN PROVES BIG SUCCESS

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, Dec. 4.—The amount paid in cash by subscribers to the third German loan in the last week of November was about 361,000,000 marks. This brought up the total paid in 10,452,600,000 marks or about 86 per cent of the entire subscription. Of this amount the loaning institutions advanced 152,300,000 making their total 630,700,000.

NEW POSTMASTERS DISCUSSED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Postmaster General Hurleston conferred with President Wilson today over appointments of postmasters at New York and Brooklyn. The term of E. M. Morgan, postmaster at New York, expires December 24, and W. E. Kelly, postmaster of Brooklyn, resigned to become county clerk.

PORTUGAL FOR ALLIES

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Dec. 4.—Sympathy for the allies was expressed in a declaration of the new "Portuguese cabinet" which appeared before parliament yesterday, says a Havas dispatch from Lisbon. The ministry declared it would abstain from all party politics and adhere strictly to a national policy.

ANNUAL ELECTION

Tonopah local, No. 121, Western Federation of Miners, will hold election of officers on Tuesday next between the hours of noon and 7 p. m. The nominations were completed at the last meeting.

STORM AT GOLDFIELD

The windstorm was very severe at Goldfield last night. Several buildings were unroofed and the power and light service was interrupted.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR
A GERMAN CAPTAIN

C. C. CROWLEY, FORMER DETECTIVE, IS CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—A warrant has been issued charging Baron George Wilhelm Von Brincken, a German cavalry captain, with attempting to destroy commerce. He avoided arrest yesterday, claiming immunity as a diplomatic attaché. Today District Attorney Preston was informed by Washington that Brincken was not a diplomatic agent. Robert Capelle, an agent of the North German-Lloyd, sought as a witness in the neutrality cases, is reported as hiding out Sausalito in an interned German bark. A warrant has been issued for the arrest of C. C. Crowley, a detective, charging him with conspiracy.

CLIPPERS WILL MEET
INVINCIBLES TONIGHT

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP IN BASKETBALL TO BE DECIDED AT AIRDOME

Don't forget that tonight is the night when the Clippers and the Invincibles meet to decide the city championship at the Airdome. The line-up was published in Wednesday's paper and the game this evening will be a warm one from start to finish as both teams are out after blood and each has vowed to annex the other's scalp. Don Kennedy who will referee the bout is an expert and will have enough friends among the audience to protect him from violence should the athletes get too playful. Mr. Cross, the high school coach, will referee the girls' contest. Walter Bowler and Jay Smith, who have not been seen on a Tonopah court for more than two years, are back again in the game and will be seen in action this evening. Games have been scheduled with Millers, Goldfield, Ely, Austin and Reno and the team will start its active schedule with teams from these cities after the first of the year. The girls who will participate tonight are:

1st Team	2nd Team
Ella Perry	C. Roberts
Helen Davis	B. Collins
G. Rippingham	L. Walsh
M. Kimball	A. Murphy
F. Holmes	L. Shields
H. Mitchell	C. Laurence

The game will start immediately after the first show, the admission will be twenty-five cents, and a five piece orchestra will furnish music for the dance afterwards.

J. J. GRIFFITH is over from Manhattan and is stopping at the Mizpah.

BUTLER THEATRE

TONIGHT

"A Black Sheep"

By Chas. Hoyt, Featuring Otis Harlan

... And ...

CHARLIE CHAPLIN COMEDY

Tomorrow

"Niobe"

Featuring Hazel Dawn, a film favorite of international fame

Matinee 1:30. Night, 7-8:30. Admission 10-15 cents